

PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Werner Alfons JUNGSerial No.: This application is a National
Phase of Patent Application
PCT/EP99/08063/ filed 25 October 1999.

Filed: April 27, 2001

For: POWDER CLEARCOAT MATERIAL
AND AQUEOUS POWDER CLEARCOAT
SLURRY

Group Art Unit: Not Assigned

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Marjorie Ellis**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.115**Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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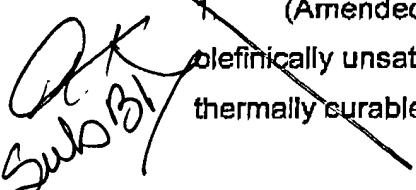
Sir:

This preliminary amendment is submitted with the application for entry into
the U.S. National Phase under Chapter II. This application is based on
PCT/EP99/08063 filed on 25 October 1999.

In connection with the filing of this National Phase application, please
make the following preliminary amendments.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Substitute for claim 1.

 1 (Amended) A liquid composition, prepared by copolymerizing
olefinically unsaturated compounds in a reaction medium of reactive diluents for
thermally curable multisubstance mixtures.